

## Abstract of the Disclosure

A sheet feeding apparatus includes a stacking tray for stacking a sheet, a sheet feeding device for feeding the sheet, a register device for aligning a leading edge of the sheet fed by  
5 the sheet feeding device, a recognition device for recognizing a state that the sheets stacked on the stacking tray have different widths, and a setting device for setting a feeding distance according to a result of the recognition device. A control  
10 device controls the sheet feeding device to feed the sheet for the feeding distance.